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TO AMEMBASSY VIENTIANE

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TAGS: MOPS, PFOR, LA

SUBJ: BOMBING OPERATIONS OVER LAOS

WE HAVE NOTED APRIL 20 REUTERS ITEM NUMBER 28 WHICH BEGINS
" US PLANES HALTED THEIR BOMBING OPERATIONS OVER
LAOS AFTER TWO DAYS OF INTENSIVE AIRSTRIKES AGAINST
COMMUNIST POSITIONS SOUTH OF THE PLAIN OF JARS, A US
EMBASSY SPOKESMAN SAID HERE TODAY." ASSUME THIS WAS
BASED ON PRESS ATTACHE' S RESPONSE TO QUESTION OF WHETHER
STRIKES CONTINUING. PLEASE GIVE ANY ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND
OF SOURCE FOR ITEM ON BOMBING TERMINATION. PORTER

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